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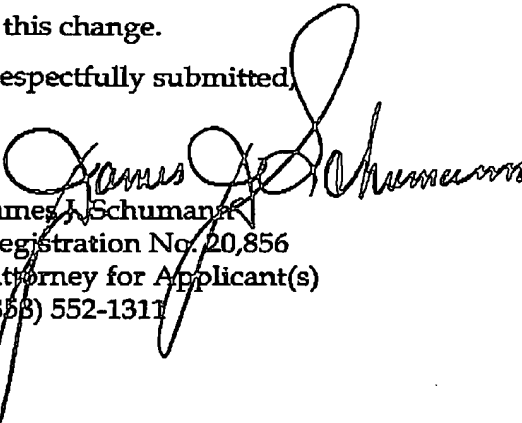
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Respectfully submitted,

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Revoking any and all powers of attorney and authorizations of agent heretofore made in respect to this application, the undersigned Applicant hereby appoints the practitioners associated with Customer Number 22242 as his attorneys, with full power of substitution and revocation, to prosecute this application and to transact all business in the United States Patent and Trademark Office connected therewith, and requests that all correspondence in respect to this application be directed to the correspondence address associated with the above-mentioned Customer Number.

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